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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a one-month Extension of Time, to and including February 7, 2003, be granted in which to respond to the Office Action dated October 7, 2002 in the above-identified application.

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